

### Short Stories: Final Project

Choose One:

1. Write an alternate ending for “The Granddaughter” or “The Visitor”

-150-200 words

-must mention the characters and the setting

-must resolve the main conflict in the story

-must be written from the same point of view as the original

-The setting, characters, and point of view must be the same as in the original story

2. Create a visual representation of either “The Granddaughter” or “The Visitor”

-can be two-dimensional or three-dimensional [drawing, painting, sculpture, etc.]

-must include at least 3 of the 5 elements [characters, setting, conflict, plot, and point of view]

3. Create a “Facebook Profile” for a character from either “The Granddaughter” or “The Visitor”

-must describe the character’s physical appearance and the character’s personality

-must mention the setting of the story

-must mention at least one internal and one external conflict which the character experiences in the story

#1.	4	3	2	1
Writing Conventions	There are no spelling or grammatical errors. Writing is neat and organized.	There are a few spelling or grammatical errors. Organization needs some work.	There are several spelling or grammatical errors. Organization is poor.	Writing is difficult to read because there are so many errors. Organization is very poor.
Characters	The main characters from the story are included in the new ending.	The main characters are included but you have changed them.	The main characters’ names are used but you have changed them a lot.	The main characters from the story are not included in the new ending.
Setting	The setting from the story is the same in your new ending.			The setting is not mentioned or you have changed it.
Conflict	The major conflict from the story is resolved in an appropriate	The major conflict from the story is resolved but in an unlikely/inappropriate way.	The chosen conflict is not the major conflict from the story.	The major conflict is not resolved.

	way.			
Length	The ending is an appropriate length.			The ending is too long or too short.

#2.	8	6	4	2
Neatness/aesthetic appeal	The artwork is very nicely done, very neat, and very nice to look at.	The artwork is neat and nicely done.	The artwork looks quite sloppy and rushed.	The artwork was clearly done at the last minute. It looks very rushed and very sloppy. It is not appealing to look it.
Inclusion of at least three of five of the literary elements.	It is clear which three (or more) literary elements are being included and they are well-represented.	Three of the literary elements are included.	Less than three literary elements are included. It is not clear which literary elements are being represented.	It is completely unclear which literary elements are being represented by the artwork.
How well it represents the story	It is clearly evident which story is being represented at first glance.	The viewer must look very closely to determine which story is being represented.	It is very unclear which story is being represented.	The viewer has no idea which story is being represented.

#3.	4	3	2	1
Character's Physical Appearance	The character's physical appearance is described in great detail.	The character's physical appearance is described in some detail.	The character's physical appearance is only mentioned briefly.	The character's physical appearance is not mentioned.
Character's Personality	The character's personality is described in	The character's personality is described in	The character's personality is only mentioned	The character's personality is not mentioned.

	great detail.	some detail.	briefly.	
Setting	The physical setting is described in great detail.	The physical setting is described in some detail.	The physical is mentioned briefly.	The physical setting is not mentioned.
Internal Conflict	The internal conflict is described in great detail.	The internal conflict is described in some detail.	The internal conflict is only mentioned briefly.	The internal conflict is not mentioned.
External Conflict	The external conflict is described in great detail.	The external conflict is described in some detail.	The external conflict is only mentioned briefly.	The external conflict is not mentioned.
Overall look of the page	The page looks nice, neat, orderly and organized. Information is easy to find and read. Good spelling and grammar are used.	The page is quite neat and organized; some information may be hard to find. Some problems with spelling and grammar.	The page is quite unorganized; most information is hard to find. Many problems with spelling and grammar.	The page is very disorganized. It is not clear where any of the information is located. Too many problems with spelling and grammar.